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# The Cedarville Herald.

A NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS AND THE INTERESTS OF CEDARVILLE AND VICINITY.

FORTY-EIGHTH YEAR NO. 10.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1925

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## SCARLET FEVER YET MYSTERY TO DOCTORS

Feeling that the people of Cedarville should be given an opportunity to know the most and best proven facts with regard to Scarlet Fever without going through tedious case histories and laboratory data and realizing that this cannot better be placed before them than by quoting direct from the very able paper or Scarlet Fever read by Dr. R. H. Grube before the Greene County Medical Society, we herewith present the following excerpts from his paper:

"... In the effort to find the specific germ of scarlet fever and apply to it Koch's postulates all sorts of methods were tried. I will mention only a few of them. Considering first the time honored 'scale transmission' theory, experiments were made by making emulsions of the scales and rubbing them into the skins of healthy nonimmune children, spraying the throats and by subcutaneous injection, without results. Takahashi, a Japanese experimenter injected the blood and serum from active cases of fever into his own five children and also sprayed their throats with an emulsion made from the throat secretion of the original stage of the fever likewise without results. Dick, working with volunteer students who were so far as it was possible to determine, nonimmune to the disease, repeated these experiments and made others using cultures, in various media, of the bacterial flora of scarlatina anginas. And while there were transient anginas and even some mild rashes accompanying these experiments both Dick and Hektoen concluded that no genuine case of scarlet fever was ever caused by experimentation up to the time of Dick's final success. After a long series of fruitless efforts Dick took the pus from the finger of a nurse which became infected while the nurse was on duty in a scarlet fever ward and making cultures isolated two strains of hemolytic streptococci both of which produced typical scarlet fever in his student volunteers.

While scarlet fever has been much milder during the past few decades than it formerly was it is still a menace to the community as well as a source of annoyance to the schools and to families because of the quarantine measures necessary. Then too, there has been an average death rate in Ohio during the last few years of about three hundred cases. There is the ever present menace that the infection may take the same virulent characteristics that it had in earlier times. Not only are the actual ravages of the disease to be considered but the remoter sequelae which are sometimes very dangerous. Besides the impaired hearing following the otitis of scarlet fever and the impairment of the kidneys the toxin may do serious damage to the central nervous system.

It is the missed cases that give the most trouble to the sanitarian. Many young children pass through the entire course of the disease without the knowledge of even the parent and it is not until a brother or sister or playmate gets it in a severe form that the primary cause is recalled. I have already spoken of the sequelae of the disease and only farther dwell on the dangers of some of them in perpetuating the disease. It has long been known that the discharge from a suppurating ear following scarlet fever carries the infection as long as it continues. Probably chronic infection of tonsils and the accessory sinuses do so, also. These sequelae may help to solve the question of the origin of many obscure cases.

Unless our hopes are realized that we are to have, in the near future curative and protective serums, there is no specific treatment for scarlet fever so our main efforts must be expended in preventing the spread of the disease. Scarlet fever is far from

being the most contagious of the exanthemata and requires an intimate contact. The prevalent notion that the infection can be carried in the clothing or other fomites is, in the light of many unsuccessful attempts to convey the infection experimentally, erroneous. The cause of scarlet fever is a living organism and does not live nor thrive very long away from its natural habitat, the human throat. Adults may have the throat infection without the skin eruption and so may become a source of infection especially to children with whom they are intimately associated. These facts make quarantine in scarlet fever particularly irksome. In several instances I have had to keep families in quarantine as much as three months because as one member would recover another would come down.

The question of disinfection arises frequently. Cleanliness undoubtedly helps some and is to be highly commended, even insisted on. We used to pin our hopes on gaseous fumigation after recovery or death of the patient. In this connection I can do no better than to quote Dr. Haven Emerson, formerly health commissioner of New York City. Dr. Emerson said: "We took the borough of Manhattan and the borough of Brooklyn, each having a population of about seventeen hundred thousand people and experimented for a year. In one borough we practiced terminal disinfection with thorough gas fumigation; in the other borough, thorough disinfection without gas fumigation, and the end results were the same in both boroughs. And yet, he added laconically, "They go on burning incense to an unknown god."

Dr. Nancy A. Finney, Sec.,  
Greene County Medical Society

### SOLON TO LOOSE PAPER; WANTS BAKER - VETERINARY

Editor Stroup of the South Solon Advance, who has conducted that paper for twenty years announced last week that with that issue the paper would be suspended. Editor Stroup is a veteran of the Civil War and is now losing his eye sight and unable to continue the work. During his service he has aided the town in securing a number of things that have aided in developing the town, chief of which was the bank. At this time the town needs a baker and a veterinarian. For a number of months there was no physician but Brother Stroup kept up the good work and interested a physician in locating there.

### DEWINE ELEVATOR BURNS WITH A TOTAL LOSS

The DeWine elevator at Old Town burned about 11 o'clock Monday morning with a complete loss. No cause can be assigned for the origin of the fire. The plant was used and especially equipped to manufacture feed. The flames leaped across the road and cut of telephone and electric power lines. The loss is estimated at \$50,000 or more. The mill was one of the landmarks of the county and had been erected 80 years and was in good state of preservation. No announcement has been made whether the mill will be rebuilt as the building and contents were only partially insured.

### DEATH OF MRS. SCHEETZ

Mrs. Nancy M. Scheetz, wife of Thomas Scheetz, died at her home off the Kyle road, two miles south of this place, Monday afternoon, at 2:45 o'clock. Death was caused by a complication of diseases. Mrs. Scheetz had been ill for about two years. She is survived by her husband, one son, Charles Scheetz, at home, and one daughter, Mrs. Bessie Burba, near Cedarville. Three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Hunkeler, Oklahoma and Mrs. Mary Bates of Cedarville and Mrs. Belle Tooker, Wilmington, with five brothers, Alfred Miller, Columbus; Elijah Miller, Junction City, O.; S. G. Miller, Troy, O.; Jacob Miller, Xenia; and William Miller, Cedarville, also survive. The funeral services will be held from M. C. Nagley's residence, Friday morning at 10:30, interment at Massies Creek cemetery.

### RADIO MEETING PLANNED

A very unique and interesting meeting is planned for this Sabbath evening by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Reformed Presbyterian church beginning at 6 o'clock. Efforts are being made to get a real radio for use in the meeting and those present will "tune in" on South America, India, Africa, China, Japan and the Philippines. Several new stations will be heard from. Special musical numbers occupy a prominent place on the program. It is hoped that a large number will avail themselves of the opportunity of attending and participating in the meeting. All are welcome.

Bob Turnbull has decided to be a doctor—He is learning how to act the part in the Cedrus Play—"The Boomerang."

LOOK—Three pairs of interwoven hose for \$1.00 and with it a FREE ticket to the picture show.  
Home Clothing Co.

### WAS NOT AFFRAID TO REGISTER HIS PROTEST

Greene County can be proud of her State Representative, R. D. Williamson. A vote was taken last week on a bill in the House to make compulsory valuation of real estate every six years. But six votes were cast against the measure. Five Republicans and one Democrat and Mr. Williamson was one of the Republicans.

The law at present is more or less optional and calls for ten year periods. The new bill is being sponsored by city legislators who are continually trying to make it as easy as possible for tax spenders to raise more tax money.

Under the proposed bill the matter of revaluation is compulsory every six years. No consideration can be given as to economic conditions such as farmers have been experiencing the past two years. Land values may be high or they may be low, a revaluation under the proposed law must come and there never has yet been a general reduction.

We have interviewed a number of citizens on the proposed law and in every instance both town and country people oppose it. The measure now goes to the Senate.

Governor Donahay has expressed himself as against the bill and that he will veto it if it reaches his desk. We understand that Representative Williamson agreed to support the bill if it was amended to read for eight years instead of six.

The Republicans are but committing murder, politically, if the majority, passed this proposed law over the veto of Governor Donahay. It should be killed in the Senate.

### UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Sabbath School at 9:30. Supt. Mr. Fred Townsley. An address by one of the State Sabbath School Workers at the beginning of the service. Come on time.

10:30 preaching by Dr. A. W. Jamieson, Synodical Supt. of the Ohio Synod.

Y. P. C. U. at 6 P. M. Mission Study. Leader, Miss Lena Hastings.

At 7 o'clock Union Preaching service. Sermon by Dr. Jamieson.

Special services each evening all next week except Saturday, when the service will be at 1:30 P. M. Preaching by the Community which will be observed on Sabbath morning, March 1st.

### WILBUR CONLEY TRUSTEE; HARRY TOWNSLEY RESIGNS

At a meeting of the board of township trustees Monday night Harry Townsley, offered his resignation and it was received. Mr. Townsley leaves the township about the first of the month for Clark county. The appointment power is with the justice of peace and Squire Jackson named Wilbur Conley for that honor to fill the unexpired term. Mr. Conley is residing on the Whitelaw Reid farm and will assume his new duties at once. He is one of the younger farmers in the township and will make a popular official.

### SOUTH CHARLESTON HAS PROSPECTS OF OIL COMPANY

A movement is under way, we are informed, to organize an oil company in and about South Charleston to develop a tract nearby for oil. We are told a Chicago man with an instrument to locate oil has found on one farm what he holds to be a fine prospect. The instrument has been tested in other fields and is said to be fairly correct. The company is being promoted by local citizens.

### DATES ANNOUNCED FOR THE INCOME TAX MAN

The following dates have been announced by Collector Dean of the Cincinnati Revenue office when deputies will call to assist income tax payers to make out their returns: Yellow Springs, Miami Deposit Bank, February 24; Cedarville Exchange Bank, February 25; Jamestown, Township Building, February 26; Xenia post office building, February 27 and 28; Xenia, March 9 to March 16.

### LONDON FARM EXCHANGE TO BE DISSOLVED

Application has been made in the Madison County Common Pleas Court to dissolve the London Farmers' Exchange, a co-operative company that has been in business of the past several years. The assets are listed at \$20,720.82 and liabilities at \$39,974.46.

### 387 AUTO TAGS AND 59 TRUCK TAGS SOLD THUS FAR

Harry Lewis, local registrar for automobile and truck tags announced Tuesday that thus far he had sold 387 automobile tags and 59 truck tags.

### OHIO NEWS IN BRIEF

#### OFFERS SELF FOR SALE

Xenia.—J. T. Cramer, 42, a blacksmith, offers himself for sale because he has six hungry children.

#### COULDN'T CHEAT DEATH

Bridgeport.—John Matto, 65, was first struck by a street car and then at the same scene dragged to his death by an auto.

#### HURRIES TO DEATH

Toledo.—Because Robert Morris was in a hurry to cross a railway track, he started to crawl under a Wheeling & Lake Erie freight train and was killed.

#### OFFICER SLEEPS ON DUTY

Warren.—William Blake, city policeman, was suspended for 10 days by Chief B. J. Glenn. Blake was asleep on duty, it was charged.

#### ELOPES THRU WINDOW

Granville.—Miss Grace Filkins, a freshman at Denison college, employed the window exit when she eloped with Leonard Bell.

#### POISED AS DRY AGENTS

Kenton.—Herman J. Warhime, farmer, was robbed of \$12 by three men who entered his home posing as state prohibition officers.

#### SLAPS MOTHER-IN-LAW

Xenia.—Pleading guilty to a charge of slapping his mother-in-law, Milt Patton was fined \$5 and costs here.

#### PAY ROLLS LARGER

Youngstown.—Banks reports on total pay roll business for January indicate improved industrial conditions and broader employment.

#### LETTER PROVES COSTLY

Oxford.—Wilbur Woods was compelled to pay \$2.08 on a single letter which had been mistakenly placed in a package of laundry.

#### STUDENTS STEAL AUTOS

Columbus.—Twenty autos were stolen by four students of West high school of Columbus. The boys were sentenced to the Boys' Industrial school at Lancaster, when they admitted their guilt.

#### COAL PRODUCTION LOW

Nelsonville.—Coal production in this part of the state has reached such a low stage that federal surveys are no longer making cognizance of it, operating mines are being closed and are seeking work in West Virginia and Kentucky, it is said.

#### KILLED BY DETECTIVE

Youngstown.—Elmer Johnson, 24, was shot and killed by City Detective Emory Nichols, when the officer caught him in the act of robbing a junk yard warehouse. The officer said he fired when the man ignored his command to halt.

#### ACCUSED SUNDAY VIOLATORS

Dayton.—Revival of the Sunday closing controversy, appeared when affidavit was issued in police court for the arrest of J. D. Gallagher, druggist, for having kept his place open on Sunday, in violation of a city ordinance. Issuance of the affidavit followed the arrest of Harry Zimmerman, proprietor of a clothing store, who was accused of having permitted his store to remain open on Sunday.

#### LOVE DIDN'T LAST

Pomeroy.—Bliss Springer, who married his wife, Lana, a German girl, while he was with the A. E. F. on the Rhine, has started divorce proceedings against her. She in turn has instituted habeas corpus proceedings in an effort to secure their little daughter.

#### 'HYPNOTIST' ARRESTED

Dayton.—Nicholas Nicola, 27, of Cleveland, who calls himself, "Nicola the Great Hypnotist" was held here, with his troupe, on a charge of defrauding a hotel.

#### BIBLE BILL KILLED IN HOUSE

BY WOMAN MEMBER

The compulsory Bible reading bill was defeated this week by the House in a rather unusual manner for legislative action. The bill was up for consideration and when an amendment was offered Mrs. C. J. Ott of Mahoning county moved to table and upon vote there it went, original bill and amendment. The opponents to the bill saw their opportunity and when a vote to reconsider was taken, the necessary two-thirds under parliamentary law, could not be mustered. The bill is dead for this year. The school Bible reading measure brought about much hard feeling among members. The bill is said to be a K. K. K. measure and a number voted against it on that account.

#### A NEW BOOK AT LIBRARY

A new book on the subject of stuttering and stammering has been added to the collection of information on the shelves of the Cedarville Library. The book is by Benjamin Nathaniel Bogue, a recognized authority on the subject.

WANTED—To hear from owner having farm for sale near Cedarville. Write Box 181, West Milton, Ohio.

Make a purchase of \$1.00 and take your best girl to the Picture Show. Tickets FREE at Home Clothing Co.

## ROSS SCHOOL LEADS IN B. B. RACE

Cedarville College defeated the Spencerian college five of Cleveland last Wednesday night at Alford Gym. in an over time struggle. Townsley, Ced. guard opened the Yellow Jackets scoring early in the first half with a goal from the center of the floor. Capt. Nein of the Spencerians followed close behind with a basket for his team. The playing of the local five was decidedly of form during the entire first half but by the aid of the Clevelanders poor guarding and inability to make short shots, the Yellow Jackets ran up a lead of nine points before the end of the half, the score being 18-9 at the end of the second quarter.

The Spencerians came back strong in the second half and before the locals could make too head the score tied and from then on the game was a real battle, first the Fifth city crew would be ahead then the Cedarville boys would take a spurt for a while and lead. Near the close of the half the Spencerians obtained a two point lead and things looked bad for the locals, with a minute left to play, Rockhold heaved the ball thru the net tying the score and the second half ended 29-29.

The overtime period opened with a rush, the Clevelanders making the first basket. Nagley of the Yellow Jackets arched a pretty one thru the strings again tying the score and Taylor making a free throw good from the charity line placing the College boys in the lead and the game ended, 32-31 in favor of Cedarville.

McClain right forward for the Spencerians was high scorer of the game with a total of eight baskets and a foul. Taylor was high point getter for Cedarville with a total of 9 points with Nagley and Bates each 8 points a piece.

Summary and Lineup		fg		pts	
Nagley r f	3	2	8		
Bates lf	3	2	8		
Taylor c	3	3	9		
Currie rg	0	0	0		
Rockhold rg	1	0	2		
Townslay lg	1	2	4		
Stultz lg	1	0	2		
Total	12	9	32		
fg		pts			
Spencerians	2	0	4		
Miller lg	2	0	4		
Smith rg	0	3	3		
Nein c	2	0	4		
Young c	1	1	3		
Obert lf	0	1	1		
McClean rf	8	1	17		
Total	13	6	33		

In a preliminary game the college girls had no trouble in defeating Urbana Junior College, the game being a one sided affair. The Cedarville guards allowed Urbana one field goal. The score was 45 to 3 for Cedarville.

### HIGH SCHOOL TAKES TWO

Cedarville Hi defeated her old time rivals last Friday night at the Alford Gym. when she bested Jamestown in two one sided games.

The girls romped away with their game, having little opposition to bother them. Coach Adair substituted freely during the game and all of the new players showed up well. The Cedarville girls playing such a tight guarding game that Jamestown was not able to get a field goal, making their 5 points on free throws. The ball was in Cedarville's territory most of the time and when the game ended the local girls were resting comfortably on the long end of a 25-5 score. Coach Talcott started the boys game with the second team in the lineup and the scrubs played well for their first half on the floor, displaying a five man defense that the Jamestown boys could not penetrate but their shooting eye was bad and they could not gain a substantial lead. In the last part of the second quarter the regulars were run in and the half ended in favor of Cedarville.

The second half was like the first, the Cedarville boys having little trouble to connect with the basket. Townsley, Cedarville guard, played a stellar game, allowing few short shots and his fast passing and dribbling was a factor in winning for his team. Farquar and Toland showed up best for the losers.

### HOW THEY STAND

Boys—		Won		Lost		Pts.	
Team		5	0	1,000			
Ross		7	1	.875			
Boaver		5	1	.833			
Cedarville		2	3	.400			
Yellow Springs		2	4	.333			
Bath		1	4	.200			
Caesarcreek							
Bellbrook							
Spring Valley							
Girls—							
Team		4	0	1,000			
Bath		4	1	.800			
Yellow Springs		2	1	.666			
Ross		2	3	.400			
Cedarville		2	3	.400			
Caesarcreek		0	5	.000			
Spring Valley							

### RESULTS LAST FRIDAY

Boys—  
Cedarville 24 Jamestown 4.  
Ross 21 Yellow Springs 13.  
Beavercreek 18 Caesarcreek 3.  
Bellbrook Spring Valley  
Girls—  
Cedarville 24 Jamestown 5.  
Yellow Springs 17 Ross 9.  
Bellbrook Spring Valley  
Beavercreek 21 Caesarcreek 8

### GAMES TONIGHT

Ross at Cedarville  
Yellow Springs at Bellbrook  
Spring Valley at Caesarcreek.

### SENATE COMMITTEE LEFT HOLDING AN EMPTY BAG

Thus far this year we have had the eclipse, the "end of the world", and the O. S. & S. O. Home investigation, along with Friday, the 13th and everything is going along as usual. What the state awaits next is the report of the O. S. & S. O. Home investigation committee which seems to have trouble in arising to the surface. Reports are in circulation that the Committee has nothing to report as it found nothing on which to base an adverse report. The best that we can hear from the committee is that the Chairman took his fellow members on a proverbial snipe hunt and left them upstream holding a lantern and an empty bag.

### NO NEW CASES REPORTED PAST FEW DAYS

While there were five or six cases of scarlet fever reported last Saturday and Sabbath there have been no additional cases this week. All of the cases are from the public schools except one from the college and most of the public school cases are from the fifth grade.

The community has been unusually alarmed over the spread of the epidemic and scores of parents refused to permit their children to attend school. As a result school attendance has been greatly reduced, running from eighty to ninety-five. Where ever there was the least sign of illness among any of the pupils they were sent home, regardless of the cause. The school entertainment set for Saturday night in the opera house has been canceled for the present.

### K. OF P. LODGE WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENT, FEB. 28

Arrangements have been made by the local K. of P. Lodge to give an entertainment in the opera house on Saturday night, Feb. 28 when the Page Rank team of Echo Lodge, No. 707, Dayton, will present "The Beautiful Lesson of Pythian Friendship". There will be 75 people in the cast.

### DUROC SALE MONDAY ROUGHT GOOD PRICES

The Greene County Duroc Association sale, Monday, in Xenia brought a good crowd of buyers. Thirty-three head brought an average of \$37. R. C. Watt & Son had 10 head in the sale that averaged \$45 a head. Stock at farm sales is bringing much better prices this spring than anytime during the past year.

### FAIRFIELD PIKE IMPROVEMENT TO BE PUT UNDER WAY

The County Commissioners have ordered a survey and data gathered for the Fairfield pike improvement starting at the junction with the Xenia and Springfield pike near Old town. The road will be improved with state aid. Since the Cincinnati pike improvement will not be made this year, the county loses \$72,000.

### DOG CATCHER MAKES A GOOD HAUL HERE TUESDAY

There are fewer dogs about town now than there were previous to Tuesday when George Spencer, the county dog catcher made a visit. The dog problem had become a nuisance in many parts of town and complaint was laid in. Mr. Spencer found 13 that did not have tags and they were taken out of town.

### GETS \$200 FINE AND COSTS

Probate Judge Wright fined Harry Painter, Xenia, \$200 and costs Monday for selling liquor and committed him to the county jail until the fine and costs were paid. Painter is one of three young men arrested in connection with a juvenile delinquency case.

Dot Wilson and Ann Ord are starting in the Boomerang.

FREE—A ticket to the picture show by making a purchase of \$1.00 or more from the Home Clothing Co.

Don't miss seeing Ruth Burbick as Mrs. Woodbridge in the Boomerang.

See Husher as a social lion in the new play: "The Boomerang" at the opera house, Feb. 25.

Take in a picture show while you can go FREE. Ask for FREE tickets at Home Clothing Co.

## BAD LITERATURE SCATTERED IN XENIA SCHOOLS

Aid to organizations and authorities fighting the menace, was promised by the Greene County Board of Education at an adjourned meeting Monday afternoon, in a resolution deploring the alleged circulation of obscene literature among young people and school children, and the danger arising from alleged use of narcotics and intoxicants.

The county board's action was the result of the agitation which has arisen in Xenia recently over discovery by school police and juvenile court authorities of a particular dangerous brand of obscene matter which had been circulated among school children. Ralph Kester, crippled Xenian, is now being held in the county jail, charged with distributing it. So far as known none of the matter has yet reached the rural or village schools.

The board at its meeting directed that two messages be sent to Senator Fess and Willis asking them to support the Crampton bill, and if necessary invoke the cloture rule to secure the passage of the bill.

### HOMER BRAY VICTIM OF "CANNED HEAT" ATTACK

Homer Bray, 50, Indianapolis, was found on the roadside west of town Sabbath suffering from "canned heat". The fellow was taken to Xenia by Deputy Sheriff Baughman. It is said that Bray was taken up by the Xenia police Friday night and discharged Saturday after being doctored by the police. Sabbath morning he started to walk to Columbus but only reached the Taylor hill by Sabbath noon when he was found along the roadside. He had stopped at the home of Robert Taylor and asked for something to eat which was given him. The denatured alcohol had almost paralyzed the fellow.

### WORLD WAR VETERAN DEAD

Arthur Taylor, 30 colored, of this place, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, died last Wednesday night at the National Military Home in Dayton of tuberculosis. He leaves a wife. The services were held from the A. M. E. church, Sabbath afternoon.

### WANTS STRICTER QUARANTINE

Xenians are more less disturbed over the small pox epidemic in that city. At a recent meeting of the W. C. T. U., a resolution was passed asking for a stricter quarantine.

Leave your order for Easter Eggs and rabbits. The Cedarville Bakery.

### NOME ANGELS



Three hundred thousand units of life-saving diphtheria antitoxin reached Nome, Alaska, thanks to this great champion musher, Leonard Sepalla and his dog team of twenty best Huskies. Sepalla went head-on into a raging blizzard with the temperature ranging from 20 to 35 below zero. Sepalla had the longest stretch of more than 650 miles. Seven relays handled the precious package in the record time 127 1/2 hours. (Below) Miss Emily Morgan of Wichita, Kansas, the only nurse in Nome. There are more than thirty cases in the town of 1,000.

### Guilty



This is the man, Col



# WHAT DOES BRAND WANT?

Congressman Brand is trying to throw the scare into the people of Ohio over the proposed gasoline tax bill now before the legislature. The Congressman has given support to many worthy bills in Congress but he evidently has the wrong idea on the gasoline tax problem for road maintenance.

Congressman Brand has had a hobby about gravel roads and his own county, Champaign, stands as the one big joke in the state in reference to roads. Chuck holes and mud in the winter and rough dusty roads in the summer, except the fine cement road that leads from his city, Urbana, to his farm.

The State Grange, the Farm Bureau and other organizations have made an analysis of the gas tax and are standing solidly for it. More than this thirty-seven other states have such a tax and none have repealed it after giving it a trial.

Congressman Brand argues that the gas tax bill should be amended so that the state could take over the state system for both maintenance and construction. The Congressman's idea of taxing all the people of the state for all of the cost of public highways will never be realized. The proposal is as unfair as it is unreasonable. To use Greene county for an example. Hundreds of farmers are now paying their share of improved roads. Would it be fair to them to be taxed, directly or indirectly, for road funds to build roads in some other county? Would the Congressman tax all the people in the town and cities for highway improvement when the rural populace does not pay one cent for macadam, brick, asphalt, or cement streets in the towns and cities? If it is the plan of the Congressman to do all paving in cities, villages, and through the country by direct taxation, then we give endorsement to it, otherwise not. In that event we would not need a gasoline tax. The feature of the gasoline tax is that the users of the roads pay for maintenance. The fellow that does not use them pays nothing.

Congressman Brand has the best opportunity of playing for popular favor, and we fear that his road propaganda is nothing more, if he will but use his best offices to oppose the bill now before Congress that if passed will increase all postage rates on publications.

The publications in this country did their "bit" during the war and on top of it stood for war tax on postage rates which have never been reduced and now it is proposed to add another increase in rates to get postal employees more salary.

The government furnishes stamped envelopes at a loss. They are printed at a greater loss, all of which goes to create a great deficit in that department. To this every newspaper in the country is flooded with speeches and political propaganda that is all sent out free, or franked, by the government. We do not know how Congressman Brand stands on this measure. We hear a great deal about his road economy program, but nothing about how to overcome some of the deficit in the postal department.

The idea of governmental economy is all right but we do not want to hear of nothing but road economy and know that Congress is doing nothing to put all postal rates where the loss will be born by those who benefit most from it. The printed stamped envelope loss is maintained not so much for the

average citizen but for the great mail order house, that is competition with almost every line of business in this country.

Instead of leading old toward securing added funds for road purposes the Congressman is but adding the forces that are trying to defeat gas tax in Ohio.

# BRASS TACKS AND GAS TAX

Ohio can profit by other states' experience with the gas tax and should pass a model law.

Which? Comfort and car cost savings or road tax reduction?

When you must pay for road use when traveling in 37 states out of 48 is there any good reason why touring from those states should not do the same when traveling on our improved highways?

The tourists from California to Maine have to pay a gas tax in nearly every state they pass through, but when they reach Ohio—O well, we are a generous lot of people anyway.

Gas tax revenues benefit those who pay it.

Trucks and automobiles wear and damage the roads, but lack of proper maintenance destroys them.

Get rid of fallacious thinking on the gas tax. First step is to realize we are living in the year 1925, the era of highways and motor transportation.

The gas tax is not a scheme to get more money from the people. It is a business proposition, insuring the best public service.

The gasoline tax is "Painless and Popular."

Many states have increased their gas tax. None have reduced it. Why? Was it successful?

Taxes paid where gas is used for industrial purposes, etc., will be refunded by the State.

A gas tax will benefit all motorists by improving highways, the driver paying in proportion to his travels, and when the road is poor the quantity of gas consumed is greater for a given distance and wear and tear upon his car increased—so, tax or no tax—he pays.

Dr. Leo Anderson and daughter, Elizabeth spent Monday in Columbus, visiting with the former's mother.

Rev. W. A. Condon of Urichsville, Ohio, spent several days with relatives here the first of the week.

# HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Their plan for hot lunches has been started in the Cedarville Public School. This is under the instruction of Miss Rinker, the Home Economics teacher.

Mrs. Alva Ford will have charge of cooking the lunches. They will serve one hot dish each day to be added to a cold lunch brought by the pupils. This one dish will cost five cents. The plan was started Monday with a dish of hot potato soup. These services have been increasingly popular during the week as the number has doubled that of Monday.

The Salamagunda Literary Society will hold its next meeting Friday, February 20, 1925 at 2:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. The following program will be given—Kathleen Hughes, Christine Rife, Freda Eable, Annie Huff, Vanda McCann, Lucile Ritenour will perform in the play "The Truth for a Day." Edwin Pfeiffer and Robt. Baker have the dialogue entitled "Two Kinds of Greenhorns." Abe Don ohoe is the joke editor. Wendel Graham will give us a vocal solo. Vernon Harris, Robert Moore, Louis Fitzwater, Sleigh Beethman, Owen Peters will sing in the chorus. Cornelius Lucas will give a recitation. Edith Smith will give an essay on the "Life of Washington."

On account of scarlet fever, the grade program, scheduled for Saturday night, Feb. 21, has been postponed. The new date will be determined and announced as soon as the health situation warrants.

# ENDS HIS OWN WORLD

## Leader of Sect Who Looked for End of World Hangs Self

Cleveland—Hanging his own world with a rope over a raft, Charles Ford, Rowento leader, hung strangled to death at the hour he had believed would find him entering the gates of heaven.

With seventy other Reformed Seventh Day Adventists, Ford had stood at midnight recently on the hilltop near his home on Brunswick road, Garfield Heights. But the millennium did not arrive.

Ford then waited the seven days that Noah had waited for the flood. At midnight of the last he dressed himself in blue linen and his Sabbath suit. "Jesus Saves." He wrote a farewell note to his wife, awakened his two stepdaughters, Genevieve, 14, and Zaida, 15, and kissed them goodly. They thought it morning and that he was leaving for work. Mrs. Ford had come into the city to find work.

It was past school time when the girls awoke again. No one had called them. They found Ford's body in the basement.

No crack of doom had heralded the ending of Ford's world. But brethren of the flock who had gathered at his home described a sign they had seen at 3 a. m. "The heavens had opened and a great light had shown through," they said.

# INFIRMARY FARMER RESISTS DISMISSAL BY CROW

W. M. Hughes, farmer at the Greene County Home, has been dismissed by Supt. Crow, but appealed his case to the State Civil Service Commission and it will be heard in Xenia, March 3rd. Crow charges Hughes with advanced age, neglect of duty and disabilities. Hughes says Crow knows little or nothing about farming. The eruption between the two is said to be an aftermath of the recent attempt to remove Crow.

# TEST YOUR SEED CORN

From all advice farmers should be cautious how they select their seed corn for spring planting. Not a single ear should be used until a test has been made for germinating power. It is claimed that much of the corn was damaged by the early frost last fall and extra precaution should be taken in getting good seed.

# NEW BOARD MEMBERS

J. H. Lackey, county commissioner and former member of the Greene County Fair Board, has been succeeded by C. W. Mott, representing Ross township. Mrs. J. H. Jones of Miami township is the first woman member to serve on that board.

# "OPENING BUDS"

Two more copies of "Opening Buds" the column of poems sought by the Greene County Library association, to be placed with a collection of books written by Greene countians in the library, have been reported.

Besides a volume in possession of P. A. Wright, Xenia, other copies are held by Mrs. Charles Dean, Cedarville and Charles Hatfield, Clifton. The poems were written by Miss Mary Campbell, who wrote under the name of "Eva Evergreen," and were published in Xenia in 1868 by Nichols and Fairchild.

# KEEPING WELL

## PERNICIOUS ANEMIA

DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN  
Editor of "HEALTH"

THE human body has been the prey of many enemies for thousands of years. These enemies differ greatly in the method of attack.

Yellow fever, for three hundred years the terror of the tropics and of every seaport, is like the pirates of the Spanish main, swift and terrible; it strikes without warning, kills in a few hours, and disappears. But Yellow Jack no longer inspires terror. We know now that his only means of travel is a weak mosquito. Today yellow fever, like his piratical prototypes, has been driven from the seas and from all civilized places and only lurks in a few swamps on the Mexican and African coasts.

Asiatic cholera is the man-eating tiger among diseases. It follows lanes of travel on land and sea. It, too, strikes suddenly, kills quickly and is gone. But boiled water, hot food and clean hands rob this tiger of all his teeth and claws.

But what shall we call pernicious anemia? We don't know enough about it to give it a name. Stealthy, silent, patient and without warning, it slowly saps the body of its life by attacking the blood, the source of life itself.

It is hard for the victim of pernicious anemia to tell when his trouble begins. He gradually grows pale and weak and the skin becomes lemon yellow. He has headache, dizziness, shortness of breath, lack of appetite, loss of weight. He realizes that he gets very tired and cannot think as clearly as formerly. Yet he goes on working for a surprisingly long time until some sudden development, a hemorrhage into the eye, a fainting spell, a severe pain in the stomach, takes him to the doctor.

Then a blood examination shows that the red blood corpuscles have been destroyed in large numbers. The blood itself is so affected that it cannot do its work.

Something has destroyed the red blood cells. Is it a germ, a poison developed by the body itself, a failure of some of the blood-making organs to work properly, an error in diet? No one knows.

What we do know is that it is uncommon before middle life and in old age. Most cases occur in middle life. The well-to-do are more frequently affected than the poor. It is found all over the world. It affects men and women equally and apparently it occurs in families and groups. I have in the last few years known of six cases in the families of the professors of an educational institution.

We know little more of the treatment than we do of the cause. Blood transfusion is sometimes used in the last stages. It is doubtful if any actual cure ever occurs.

A sad story? Yes, but this dark corner will be lighted up some day. © 1925 Western Newspaper Union.

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# Retaliation

Although there were only about thirty persons in the house during the performance of a revue in a small Warwickshire village, the two principal performers were continually blessed. It is reported, however, that the manager, with great presence of mind, brought his whole company on the stage and out-blasted the audience—Passing Show, London.

# Old Custom Retained

"Great Tom," Oxford university's famous bell, booms 101 notes every day to proclaim the number of foundation scholars. This custom dates back to Henry VII.

# Food for Children

Child specialists inform us that between the ages of four and twelve years a very active child requires double the total calories of a very quiet child, and a moderately active child requires one-third more calories than the quiet child. Because of the demands incident to rapid growth all children require highly nourishing food.

# Would Be Wasted Time

"O! Satan don't have to set traps for sinners," said Uncle Eben, "o'win' to his havin' his hands full tendin' to dem as is standin' in line to buy tickets."—Washington Star.

# Bird Hunts Snakes

The fanciful resemblance of the long feathers of the crest to a gull's pen thrust behind his ear suggested the name "secretary" bird. This bird's habits, says Nature Magazine, are far from literary, as its business in life is hunting snakes and similar animals. It is an African and is one of the largest birds of prey.

# Great Man No Scholar

Lord Robert Clive, founder of the British empire in India, was the despot of his teachers. After being expelled from four schools he was sent by his father for punishment on a cruise to the East.

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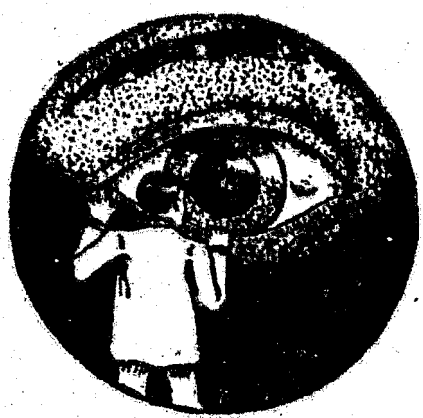
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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Boom! Boom! Boom-erang!

Messrs Harry Lewis and William Frame spent Monday in Piqua on a business trip.

Andrew Jackson was in Columbus, Wednesday on business.

For Sale: 4-shower gas fixture and two fixtures for inverted lamps, all brush brass. Call phone 32.

Charles Nisbet of Loveland was circulating among friends here yesterday.

For Sale: Twelve Black Minorca hens, heavy laying strain. P. M. Gillilan

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bird have taken quarters in Mrs. Jeannette Eskeridge's apartment. Mrs. Bird joined her husband here last Friday.

Paul (Cutie) Orr, will take a leading role in the Cedrus play to be put on here Wednesday, Feb. 25.

Come now, altogether, lets all see the Boomerang next Wednesday nite, February 25, at the opera house.

See "Betty Barnett" as the leading lady in "The Boomerang", the annual Cedrus play.

Easter eggs with any name on desired, from 50c to \$5.00. Leave your order early. The Cedarville Bakery

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Did you know that Cutie Orr has a b-a-d case on Harriet S. Come and see them act it out in the "Boomerang"

Misses Lilly and Emma Clever of Wilmington, O., are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clemans.

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Hurrah! The curtain goes up on the Boomerang Wednesday night at 8:00 P. M.

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John Marshall will have his melon patch this year on the Elmer Shigley farm on the Jamestown pike. Mr. Marshall expects to move there in a few weeks.

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Boom! Booms Boom-erang!

Rev. H. H. Spracklin of Laurel, Neb., spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Willis mSpracklin and family. Rev. Spracklin preached for the United Presbyterian congregation Sabbath morning.

The annual meeting of the Greene County Live Stock Company was held Wednesday in Xenia. The former directors were chosen. W. H. Smith is the manager for the company which reported a successful year.

Rev. Milton Hanna of New Philadelphia, O., returned home Wednesday after spending a day with his mother, Mrs. G. C. Hanna. Rev. Hanna had been in Cincinnati attending a meeting and stopped here for a short visit.

Betty Barnett appears as a patient, but pert and pretty little nurse, attending Cutie Orr, thru a bad siege of "Love and Jealousy" in the Cedrus Play, "The Boomerang."

Bob Choate and Mac Turner are acting the parts of Butlers in the snappy play, "The Boomerang" given in the opera house next Wednesday nite.

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Boom!—erang! Yes, with the emphasis on the Boom! Next Wednesday night at the opera house. Tickets on sale now at Richards Drug Store. Flat open Monday, Feb. 23 at 2 p. m.

Harold Ray, of near Xenia, who is a student in the College, has been having his share of sickness the past two months. About Christmas time he was taken down with a testinal gripe and has had four distinct attacks since that time. At one time he was able to be out but we learn it will be a week or so yet before he can return to his studies at the College.

Miss Ada Stormont and Mr. John Stormont pleasantly entertained the women of the Clarke Run Club and their husbands last Friday evening at their home. Charades and contests formed part of the evening's pleasure and a delicious hot lunch was served. The home was decorated with Japanese cherry blossoms. Besides the club members there were several invited guests, including Rev. W. P. Harriman and family and Judge and Mrs. S. C. Wright.

Mrs. Walter Graham of west of town, and Mrs. William Bootes, entertained last Thursday afternoon, at the home of the former, honoring Miss Stella Bishop of Xenia, whose marriage to Mr. Fred Alden, Columbus, takes place March 7th. About twenty-five ladies were present. The affair was in the nature of a 'shower' for Miss Bishop, and many lovely gifts were received. Mrs. Raymond Wolf won the contest prize which she gave to the honor guest. The decorations and appointments were in keeping with the Valentine season.

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Mrs. S. E. Weimer had for her guests Sunday Betty and Howard Chamberlin of Dayton and Miss Margaret Pummell of Springfield.

Wednesday, Feb. 25 is the last day you can get a \$5.00 oil painting of yourself FREE. Mayo's Studio, Cedarville, Open Wednesdays.

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Mrs. C. E. Masters, who has been with her father, who is very ill, in Wellston, O., was taken ill and had to return home. She is reported much better.

Miss Ina Murdock has gone to Louisville, Ky., to visit with Rev. and Mrs. Walter Morton and family. Rev. Morton has not been in good health, but is reported much improved

When you have opportunity of seeing a first class entertainment DON'T MISS IT. Go to the opera house Saturday evening, Feb. 28.

Cross Word Puzzle fans attention! I now have a complete line of Cross Word Puzzle books for sale. J. C. McMillan

Mrs. Frank Seifert, who resides east of town, has been critically ill this week of pneumonia. Word has been sent to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas of Jeffersonville, who are in Florida, urging their return. Mrs. Thomas is a daughter.

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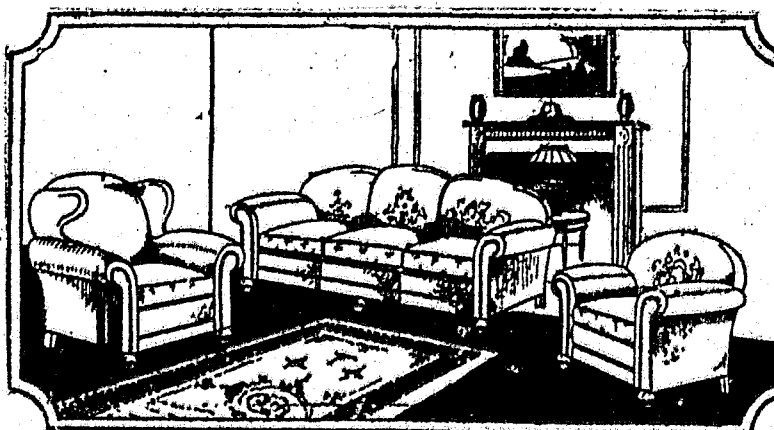
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Miss Hester Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean, was married last Thursday to Mr. Arthur Cultice of 1 teen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Faris of Pitchin. The bride and groom will reside in Springfield where the groom is employed with the Tuttle Elevator Co.

The Dayton team putting on the entertainment of "Damon and Pythias" for the local lodge at the opera house Saturday night, Feb. 28, consists of 77 people. GO.

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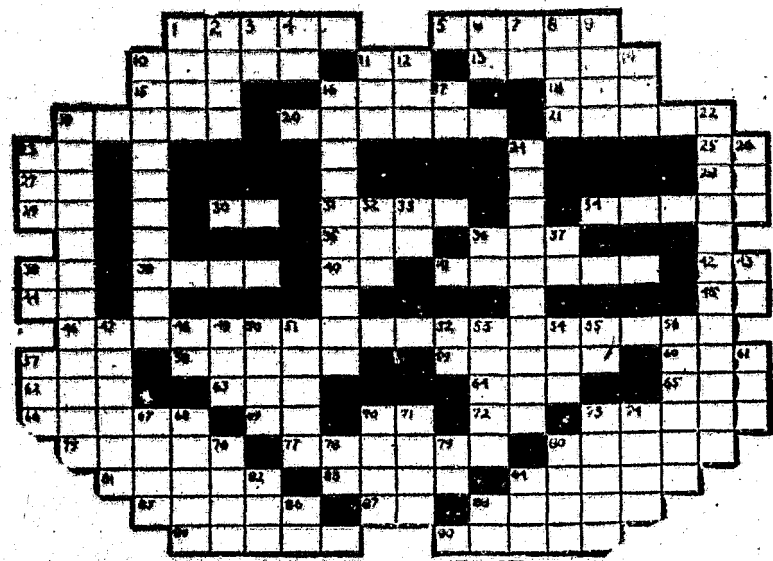
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## This Week's Cross Word Puzzle

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### HORIZONTAL

1. One who wonders.
5. To Brown.
10. King of Psalms.
11. Famous pres. (Init.)
13. To kill
16. Tame, fondled animals.
18. Preposition.
19. To deduce.
20. Time of year.
21. Excuse
23. Preposition.
27. Pertaining to (abbr.)
28. Indefinite article.
29. Implement. (heaving)
30. Personal pronoun.
31. Scent.
34. A definite spot.
35. A boy's name.
36. Little devil.
38. Conjunction.
39. A separate entry in an account.
40. Preposition.
41. In spite of.
42. Editor (abbr.)
44. An eastern state (abbr.)
45. Thus
46. Members of a church body.
47. To talk
48. A European black bird.
49. Short letters
50. A curved bone.
52. Nickname of famous Press.
53. An eagle
54. Boy's nickname
55. Same as 63 horizontal.
56. A girl's name
59. Army order (abbr.)
60. Boy's name (abbr.)
62. Boy's name (abbr.)
63. A step
65. Possessive form of a girl's name.
67. To be able
68. To cure, as herring, by salting and smoking.
69. Cuts
70. Allowance made for waste.
71. A lock of human hair.
72. To shut
73. Main thoroughfare (abbr.)
74. Large quantities
75. Wide-mouth water pitchers.
76. At an angle.

### VERTICAL

1. Unusual.
2. An adverb
3. Six (Rom. num.)
4. Boy's name (abbr.)
6. A bone.
7. An exclamation

8. A couch
9. An implement.
10. A precise description.
11. A beverage.
12. Rights (abbr.)
14. A prefix meaning three.
16. A magazine
17. Thus
19. Entangle
22. Not approachable
24. Arouned to action.
26. A single unit.
32. A boy's name
33. Preposition.
36. Incorporated account (abbr.)
37. Portugal (abbr.)
38. A conjunction
43. To act
47. A critical mark.
48. Depart
49. Repent
50. A man's name
51. An Italian Province.
52. Preposition
53. Well known
54. Guided
55. Part of the verb "to be."
56. Characteristics
57. To go (Scott)
58. An insect
59. A girl's name
68. Artless
69. Remote
71. A title given to an English Peer.
72. Fast tense of sleep.
74. To throw about
76. To put away
78. A unit of measure (abbr.)
79. A ote of the musical scale.
80. Coarse outer coat of cereals.
82. You (Germ. polite form)
84. A beverage
85. A medical man (abbr.)
86. House of Lords (abbr.)

Answer to last week's puzzle



## Sunday School Lesson

BY REV. J. B. FLETCHER, D.D., from the Sunday School Lesson Bible (Chicago)

### Lesson for February 22

#### GOOD CITIZENSHIP (Temperance Lesson.)

LESSON TEXT.—Rom. 13:1-4. GOLDEN TEXT.—"Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."—Lev. 19:18. PRIMARY TOPIC.—Love the Neighbor. JUNIOR TOPIC.—Rewards of Obedience. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC.—Obeying the Law. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC.—Obeying and Enjoining the Law.

It is highly important that the disciple of Christ should realize that he is a citizen as well as a Christian. Intelligent Christians will show loyalty to the state as well as to the church. In fact, the better the Christian, the better the state. The failure to recognize this truth has brought Christianity into disrepute in many quarters.

1. The Christian's Obligation to the State (vv. 1-4). This obligation is upon all Christians. The reason this obligation is universal is that civil government is ordained of God and the rulers are His representatives. It is God's purpose that man should live under authority. It is His purpose because man's highest good demands it. To refuse obedience to civil authority is to resist God. This of course does not mean that a Christian at the behest of the state should do that which is morally wrong, just as parental authority does not imply that the child is under obligation to do that which is morally wrong at the command of parents, but it does demand submission as the law of the believer's life. The Christian frequently has need to call upon the rulers for help and personal protection on (Acts 18:12-17; 19:35-41; 22:25).

2. The Spirit of This Obedience (v. 5). It is to be conscientious, that is, it is to be regarded, not merely as serving a good purpose, but morally right.

3. The Nature of This Obedience (vv. 6-7). (1) Payment of personal and property taxes. The citizens who enjoy the benefits of government are morally bound to support it.

(2) Payment of duties upon merchandise and license fees. The business exchange between nations must be regulated. For such regulations require laws for which benefits the citizens should pay.

(3) Veneration for magistrates—"fear to whom fear." Those who fear God should venerate His representatives, that is, civil rulers. (4) The proper attitude—"honor to whom honor." This means that civil servants, officers of the law, should be honored because of the ministry they perform.

II. The Christian's Obligation to His Fellow Citizens (vv. 8-10). This is summed up in the word "love." Love is a perpetual obligation. Paying of debts is obligatory upon all Christians are judged by their promptness in paying debts. The only debt that is right to owe is that of love. Although we give love to the full each day, each succeeding day calls for it over again. Love works no ill to one's neighbor. This love forbids defrauding in matters of property; it forbids going into debt where there is no reasonable certainty of being able to meet the obligation; it forbids defrauding in matters of moral purity. Where there is real love, adultery cannot be committed for it is a crime against one's neighbor. Love forbids murder. It forbids stealing. It forbids coveting. It forbids working ill to one's neighbor.

III. The Grand Incentive of the Christian's Life (vv. 11-14). This is the coming of the Lord. The supreme call is to the Christian to awake out of sleep. The picture here presented is of one asleep when the sun is high in the heavens. Life's duties can only be properly executed when one is awake. The one going through life without thinking of eternity is asleep. Each day is bringing us nearer to the eternal goal and since that day is at hand, we should:

1. Cast Off the Works of Darkness (v. 12). The works of darkness are the sins of the flesh such as dishonest dealing in business, rioting and drunkenness.

2. Put on the Armor of Light (vv. 12-13). With this armor on the Christian will (1) walk honestly, (2) not in rioting and drunkenness, (3) not in chambering and wantonness, (4) not in strife, (5) not in envy.

3. Put on the Lord Jesus Christ (v. 14). The only way to be free from the works of darkness is to put on Christ.

**Fatal Prosperity.** Often our trials act as a thorn-hedge to keep us in the good pasture; but our prosperity is a gap through which we go astray.—Presbyterian Record.

**Our Love of God** Our love of God would be idolatry if we did not believe in His love for us—His responsive love.

**His Written Word** God never leads us to do anything that is contrary to His written Word.

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT** Estate Joseph McAfee, deceased. J. W. Johnson has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Joseph McAfee, late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 9th day of February, A. D., 1925.

S. C. Wright, Probate Judge of said County.

## FARM BUREAU LEADERS MEET IN COLUMBUS

W. R. Bryson, president of the Greene County Farm Bureau, is in Columbus the last of this week attending a meeting of state leaders when plans will be formulated for the new membership drive. It will be known as the "continuous membership" plan.

### LEVIES ON HORSES

Fred Weimer has brought action before Magistrate Jackson to levy on four head of horses that a Dayton teamster had placed on his farm for winter feeding. The owner cannot be found and the horses will be sold by Constable Cal Ewry on Monday March 2, from the old Boyd livery barn.

### FLIPPANT TALK, SERIOUS ACTION

Measure Aims to Stave Off Tragic School Bus Accidents

COLUMBUS, OHIO.

AND petting parties held on school buses? Does some older girl sit in the driver's lap while the younger ones park in the back of the vehicle which is conveying the children to school?

These questions might be asked if one had been in the Ohio senate recently. The frequency of petting in the quiet rural districts of Van Wert county, as compared with that in the more noisy, urban highways of Cleveland, was debated in a spirited argument between Senator Sharon L. Shaffer of Van Wert and Senator L. L. Marshall of Cleveland.

Oddly enough, the subject about which flippant debate arose was a bill to stave off such tragic school bus accidents as have occurred in the last two years.

The bill, introduced by Senator Shaffer, one of the two blind men in the upper house, proposed to put school bus drivers in a separate compartment from the children, raise the minimum age limit of the drivers from sixteen to eighteen, force other vehicles to stop behind the buses when they are loading and unloading, and make it a punishable offense to fail to stop at a railroad crossing.

The bill passed the senate, 27 to 2. "The provision putting the driver in a separate compartment from the children is important," said Senator Shaffer in arguing for the bill.

"We've often found that the younger children would be in the back of the bus or truck while the driver would be petting the older kids up in the front seat."

"I don't want to have it possible for some girl to get on the driver's lap while he's driving school children."

The house passed the McDonald bill calling for compulsory reappraisal of real estate every six years.

**HORSE THIEF LAWS** SENATOR GEORGE H. BENDER of Cleveland moved to repeal the ancient horse thief laws, which caused so much trouble during and before the Niles riots of last November between Ku Klux Klan and flaming Chicago members.

It was learned several weeks later that Klan organizers had gathered up men ostensibly as members of a corporation organized under the old law which gives fifteen of more residents of a township the right to organize a society for the catching of "horse thieves and other criminals."

Numerous persons who carried guns it Niles said when searched they thought they had a right to carry them under this law.

The move of Senator Bender came as a bill to repeal forty-two sections of the code dealing with corporations now obsolete, such as companies to drain surplus water from canals and to install sewage systems in cities.

Buried in the long list of statutes were eight sections of the horse thief laws.

**LEADS EGG RAISERS** A FLOCK of White Leghorn pullets owned by Clarence Householder of Fairfield County leads Ohio's farm flocks in efficient egg production for a period of one year, says a report by poultry extension specialists at the Ohio State University.

These 128 White Leghorn pullets produced 231.3 eggs apiece, on the average, for the year ending Nov. 1, 1924, and so outdistanced the 1196 farm flocks whose production was recorded by month in the survey of the poultrymen at Columbus. The university standard for efficient egg production is 160 eggs a year for each bird.

**KILLS INSECT PESTS** ELECTRIFIED poison, manufactured so that it will not wash off in the heaviest of rainstorms, is now available to Ohio farmers who prefer a powder or dust spray to kill insect pests. Word of this new process has come to D. M. DeLong, professor of entomology at the Ohio State University.

By the new process the insecticide is ionized in manufacture. Even when placed under running water, the ionized or electrified insecticide will stick.

**MILK PRODUCTION** THE Williams Cow Testing Association fears every other association of its kind in the United States by an average of 1500 pounds of milk for each cow, according to a recent survey of Ohio's 23 cow testing associations made by the dairy department at Ohio State University.

The survey also shows that the Ohio Valley Cow Testing Association in Putnam County ranks highest in milk production, with an average of 23 per cent above the United States average.

Hear new voices and see new faces in the Cedrus Play, "The Boomerang" Feb. 25th.

## Cough Remedy Mother Gave Us Still Best

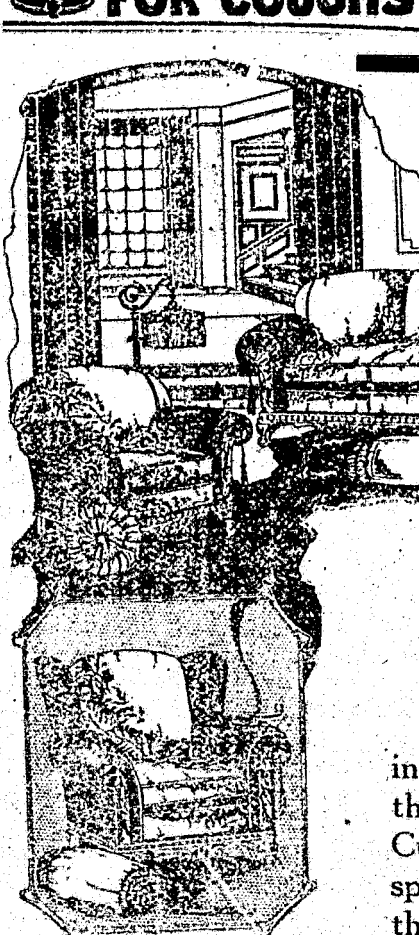
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